UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

RONALD GONDA, : CIVIL ACTION NO. 00-2286

Plaintiff,

v. : CHIEF JUDGE AMBROSE

METROPOLITAN LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY and WILLIAM FRIEDT, JR.,

Defendants.

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METROPOLITAN LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY AND WILLIAM FRIEDT'S MOTION IN LIMINE TO EXCLUDE EVIDENCE REGARDING THE CONNECTICUT MARKET CONDUCT EXAMINATIONS OF METROPOLITAN LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY AND RELATED DOCUMENTS

Metropolitan Life Insurance Company ("MetLife") and William Gerald Friedt, Jr.

(collectively "defendants") hereby submits the following Motion in Limine to Exclude Evidence Regarding the Connecticut Market Conduct Report (the "Connecticut Report") and related documents:

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¹ A copy of the Connecticut Report, Plaintiffs' Exhibit 57, is attached as Exhibit A to Defendants' Motion. A letter dated December 19, 1997, from Daniel F. Harrigan, Program Manager, Market Conduct Division, State of Connecticut, to Harry P. Kamen, Plaintiffs' Exhibit 108, is attached as Exhibit B to Defendant's Motion. The State of Connecticut Insurance Department Stipulation and Consent Order, Plaintiffs' Exhibit 109, is attached as Exhibit C to Defendant's Motion. In support of the arguments set forth in detail in MetLife's Brief in Support of its Motion to In Limine to Exclude Evidence Regarding the Connecticut Market Conduct Examinations and Related Documents, Defendants enclose Ex. D, Drummond v. Alia – The Royal Jordanian Airline Corp., 11 Fed. R. Evid. Serv. 1904 (W.D. Pa. 1982).

- 1. In Plaintiff's Exhibit list dated June 12, 2006, he has identified the Connecticut Market Conduct Report and certain related documents (Plaintiff's Proposed Exhibits 26, 110 and 111), all of which are irrelevant to this case and highly prejudicial.
- 2. Plaintiff's Proposed Exhibits 57, 108, and 109 should be excluded for the reasons set forth in detail in Defendants' Brief in Support of its Motion to In Limine to Exclude Evidence Regarding the Connecticut Market Conduct Examinations and Related Documents, which is incorporated by reference.

WHEREFORE, Defendants respectfully requests that this Court grant Metropolitan Life Insurance Company's and William Gerald Friedt Jr.'s Motion in Limine to Exclude Evidence Regarding Connecticut Market Conduct Report and Related Documents.

Respectfully Submitted,

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Dated: June 19, 2006

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that a true and correct copy of the foregoing document was served via the electronic case filing system, on this 19th day of June, 2006 on the following counsel of record:

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__s/ B. John Pendleton, Jr.____